

Explaining Wildfires

Scripted Social Story for children
affected by wildfires

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Fires are usually in campfires
and fireplaces....





Sometimes, fires can go in places they are not supposed to. This can be dangerous.



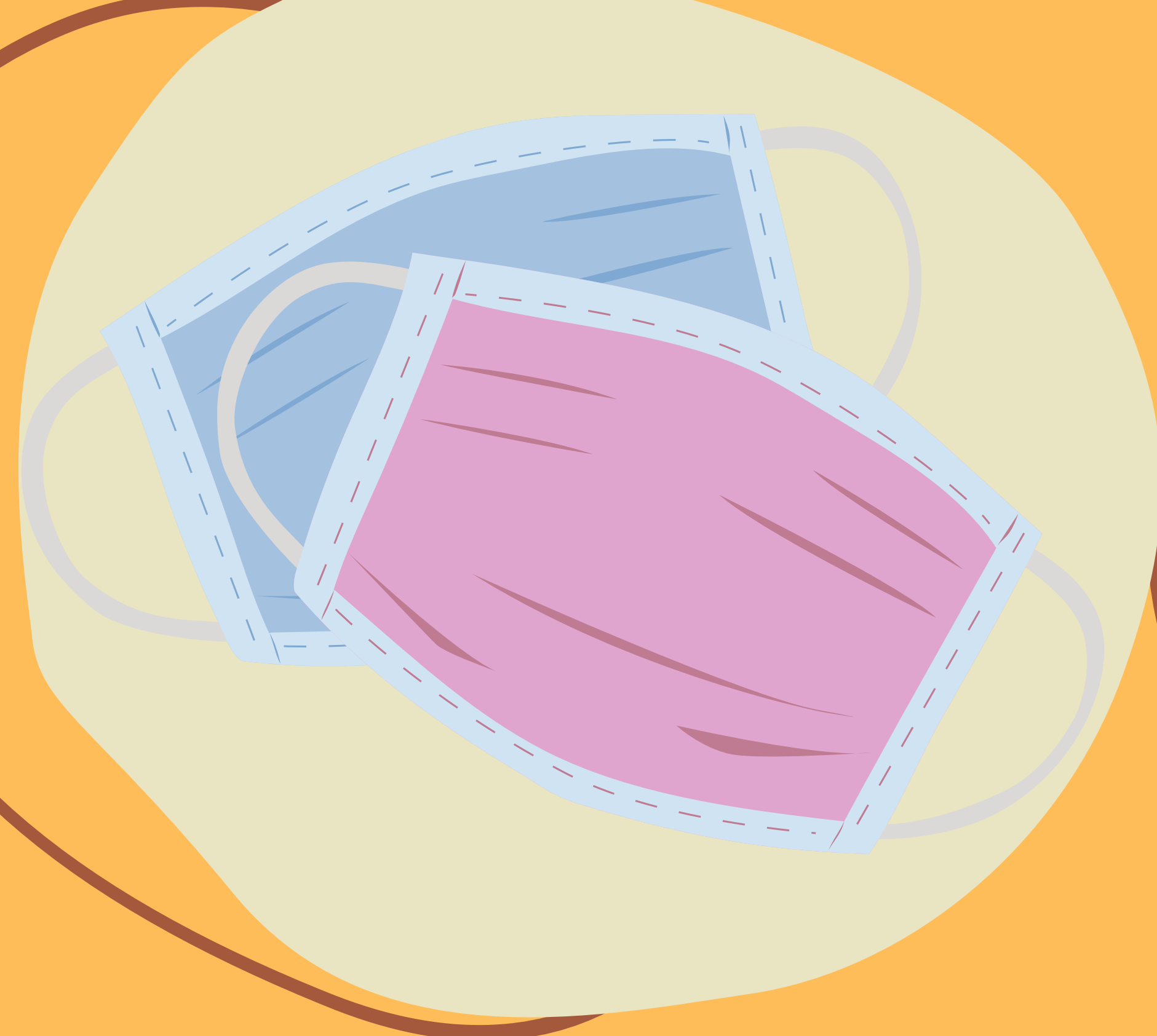
I might see the fires on TV or hear grown ups talk about the fire.

I might see smoke in the air. It can
be hard to breathe.





I will not go to school when there are fires burning around me. This helps keep me safe.



I can also wear a mask and play
inside to stay safe.



The firefighters may ask us to leave our home to keep us safe.



The firefighters and police will let
my grown ups know when the fires
are out.



Then it will be safe to go to school
and play outside.



If the firefighters tell us it is not safe to go back home, we may stay somewhere else to stay safe.



My grown ups are going to take care of me and keep me safe from the fires.



If I feel scared, confused, or
worried, I can tell my grown ups
and ask for help.



I can ask them questions so that I know what is happening and feel safe.



We can help stop fires by keeping them in
fireplaces and in camps.



THANK
YOU



We can thank our firefighters for keeping
us safe!